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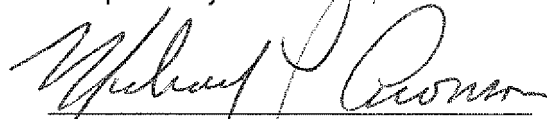
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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIALS	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME OF INVENTOR	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	2,551,902	5/8/51	Rieck			
	2,626,087	1/20/53	Howard et al.			
	5,457,041	10/10/95	Ginaven et al.			
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	6,537,242 B1	3/25/03	Palmer			
	6,611,707 B1	8/26/03	Prausnitz et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIALS	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES OR NO
	2 720 002	11/24/95	France – U.S. equivalent 5,964,729 cited above			YES

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

			International Search Report

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